

# MISSOURI DIVISION OF HEALTH - STANDARD CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC HEALTH AND WELFARE

Registration District No. 317

Primary Registration District No. 500

Registrar's No. 2654

**63-034284**

STATE FILE NUMBER

DO NOT WRITE  
ON THIS STUB

AMENDED

VS 300  
Rev. 4/59

DATE AMENDED

AMENDMENTS ON THIS RECORD ARE AS FOLLOWS

INSTEAD OF

SHOULD READ

ITEM NO.

DOCUMENT

MEDICAL CERTIFICATION

BY AFFIDAVIT OF

**FILED SEP 4 1963**

## 1. PLACE OF DEATH

a. COUNTY **ST. LOUIS**

b. CITY (If outside corporate limits, give TOWNSHIP only)  
OR TOWN **JEFFERSON BARRACKS, MO.**

Length of stay in lb  
**3 DAYS**

c. FULL NAME OF (If NOT in hospital, give location)  
HOSPITAL OR INSTITUTION **VETERANS ADMINISTRATION HOSPITAL**

Inside Limits  
Yes ☒ No ☐

## 2. USUAL RESIDENCE (Where deceased lived. If institution: Residence before admission)

a. STATE **ILLINOIS** b. COUNTY **WASHINGTON**

c. CITY OR TOWN **RADOM**

Inside Limits  
Yes ☒ No ☐

d. STREET ADDRESS (If outside, give location)  
**RESIDE OR FARM**  
Yes ☐ No ☒

## 3. NAME OF DECEASED

First Middle Last  
**WALTER JOSEPH BAKER**

4. DATE OF DEATH  
Month Day Year  
**AUGUST 21, 1963**

5. SEX  
**MALE**

6. COLOR OR RACE  
**WHITE**

7. Married ☐ Never Married ☒  
Widowed ☐ Divorced ☐

8. DATE OF BIRTH  
**8-27-12**

9. AGE (last birthday)  
**50**  
IF UNDER 1 YEAR IF UNDER 24 HR  
Months Days Hours Min.

10a. USUAL OCCUPATION (Give kind of work done during most of working life, even if retired)  
**FARMER**

10b. KIND OF BUSINESS OR INDUSTRY  
**FARMING**

11. BIRTHPLACE (City and state or country)  
**ST. LOUIS, MISSOURI**

12. CITIZEN OF WHAT COUNTRY  
**USA**

13a. FATHER'S NAME

**JOSEPH BAKER**

13b. MOTHER'S MAIDEN NAME

**PELA KUJAWA**

14. NAME OF HUSBAND OR WIFE

15. WAS DECEASED EVER IN U.S. ARMED FORCES?  
(Yes, no, or unknown) (If yes, give war or dates of)  
**YES WW-2**

16. SOCIAL SECURITY NO.

17. INFORMANT Address  
**LOUIS BAKER, 148 COTTAGE, WEBSTER GROVES, MO.**

## 18. CAUSE OF DEATH (Enter only one cause per item)

PART I. DEATH WAS CAUSED BY:

IMMEDIATE CAUSE (a)

**DIFFUSE GASTROINTESTINAL HEMORRHAGE**

INTERVAL BETWEEN ONSET AND DEATH  
**5 DAYS**

Conditions, if any, which gave rise to above cause (a), stating the underlying cause last.

DUE TO (b)

**LAENNIC'S CIRRHOSIS**

**MANY YEARS**

DUE TO (c)

PART II. OTHER SIGNIFICANT CONDITIONS CONTRIBUTING TO DEATH but not related to the terminal disease condition given in PART I (a)

**GENERALIZED ARTERIOSCLEROSIS, OBESITY**

PART III. If deceased was female was there a pregnancy in last 20 days.

☐ Yes ☐ No ☐ Unknown

19. WAS AUTOPSY PERFORMED?  
**YES** NO ☐

20a. ACCIDENT SUICIDE HOMICIDE  
☐ ☐ ☐

20b. DESCRIBE HOW INJURY OCCURRED. (Enter nature of injury in PART I or PART II of item 18.)

20c. TIME OF INJURY  
Hour a.m. p.m.  
Month, Day, Year

20d. INJURY OCCURRED WHILE AT WORK ☐  
NOT WHILE AT WORK ☐

20e. PLACE OF INJURY (e.g., in or about home, farm, factory, street, office bldg., etc.)

20f. CITY, TOWN, OR LOCATION

COUNTY

STATE

21. I attended the deceased from **8-18-63** to **8-21-63** and last saw him on **8-21-63**  
Death occurred at **12:50 PM** on the date stated above, and to the best of my knowledge, from the causes stated.

22a. SIGNATURE

(Degree or title)

**Charles O. Southus**

22b. ADDRESS

**M.D. VA HOSP. JEFF. BRKS. MO.**

22c. DATE SIGNED

**8-21-63**

23b. BURIAL, CREMATION, REMOVAL (Specify)  
**Removal**

23c. DATE  
**8-21-63**

23d. NAME OF CEMETERY OR CREMATORY

23e. LOCATION (City, town, or county)

(State)

**Ashley, Ill.**

24. FUNERAL DIRECTOR

ADDRESS

**Kringer Funeral Home, Ashley, Ill.**

25. DATE RECD. BY LOCAL REG.

**8-22-63**

26. REGISTRAR'S SIGNATURE

**John. Murphy**

USE BLACK INK  
OR  
TYPEWRITER RIBBON

**STATEMENT BY LICENSED EMBALMER**

I hereby certify that the body whose name is recorded on the reverse side of this certificate was embalmed by me,  
or by \_\_\_\_\_, Student Embalmer No. \_\_\_\_\_  
working under my personal supervision.

Student \_\_\_\_\_  
Signature of Student Embalmer

Signed

*Harvey Kahle*

Licensed Embalmer No.

4596

P. O. Address

St Louis, Mo

Note: The above MUST BE SIGNED BY THE LICENSED EMBALMER in his OWN HANDWRITING. (Failure to comply with the above constitutes grounds for revocation of license).

If embalmed by a STUDENT, he also shall sign in his OWN handwriting.

If this body is not embalmed, fact should be so stated above.